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ELECTRONIC MESSAGE SIGNS TO BE INSTALLED ALONG AREA HIGHWAYS

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – Three highway locations in San Luis Obispo County will receive permanent electronic message signs used to alert motorists about current traffic conditions and road work. Installation will begin Monday, Feb. 27 and is expected to be done by May 1.

The signs will be located in San Luis Obispo along northbound Hwy. 101 just north of the Los Osos Valley off-ramp; In Paso Robles, along the southbound Hwy.101 just north of the Hwy.101/Hwy. 46 interchange and in the Cambria area along northbound Hwy. 1 just south of the Hwy 46 junction.

The signs will be placed along the right side of the roadway and will transmit real-time traffic information to motorists.

There is a possibility of some traffic control while the signs are being installed. Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone'.

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visits the District 5 website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upslo.htm>

